

National
Sculpture Society
85th Annual Awards Exhibition

August 11 –
October 28, 2018
Brookgreen Gardens
Pawleys Island,
South Carolina



Rain of Faith

Polished stainless steel
57" x 42" x 42"

Ryan T. Schmidt's love for sculpture dates to his childhood interest in Origami and Constructs. After studying art at the University of Arkansas in Little Rock, Schmidt began a career combining water fountains and outdoor sculpture into the landscaped environment. Eventually, Schmidt's strong artistic vision compelled him to open his own studio that led him to sculpt in stainless steel. In recent years, Schmidt has exhibited throughout California, Michigan, Arkansas, Florida, and Taiwan. He won "First Place" at the Hot Springs 4th Annual Sculpture Showcase in Arkansas (2009), "First Place" at the 11th Annual Indian Wells Arts Festival in California (2013) and placed in the "Top 25" at Art Prize in Michigan (2017, 2015). Schmidt's corporate installations can be found at the Taiwan International Contemporary Artist Association in World Trade Center Taipei, BankUnited Building at the Financial District in Miami, Florida, and Amway Botanical R and D Center in Wuxi/Shanghai, China; and his public works in Grand Rapids, Michigan, Northglenn, Colorado, Little Rock, and Hot Springs, Arkansas.



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Ryan T. Schmidt

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